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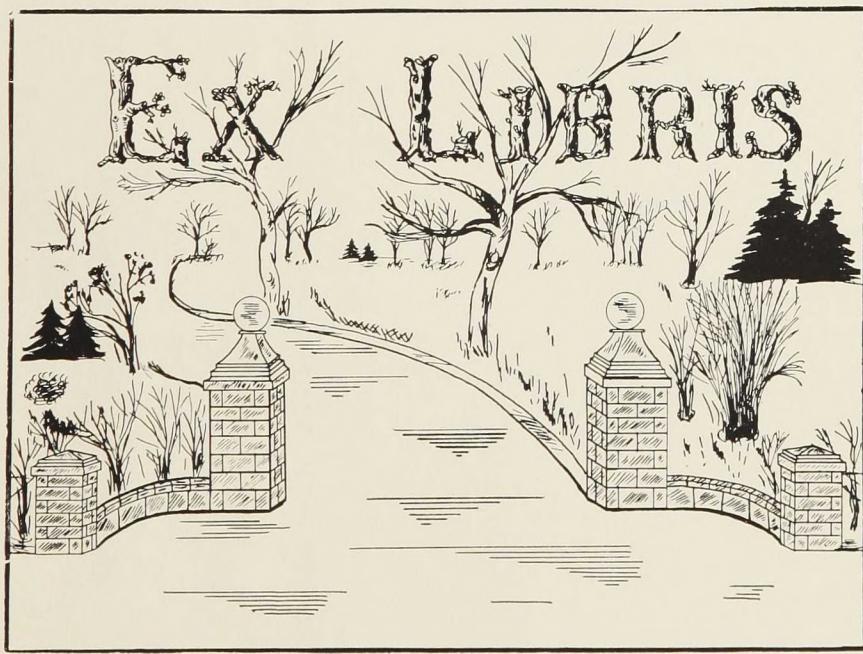




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Lux In Tenebris

Lux in tenebris, Alma Mater,
Built upon the rock eternal,
Fountain rock of living water,
Kindled by the Light supernal,
With unceasing Power increasing
In whose light we see the light.

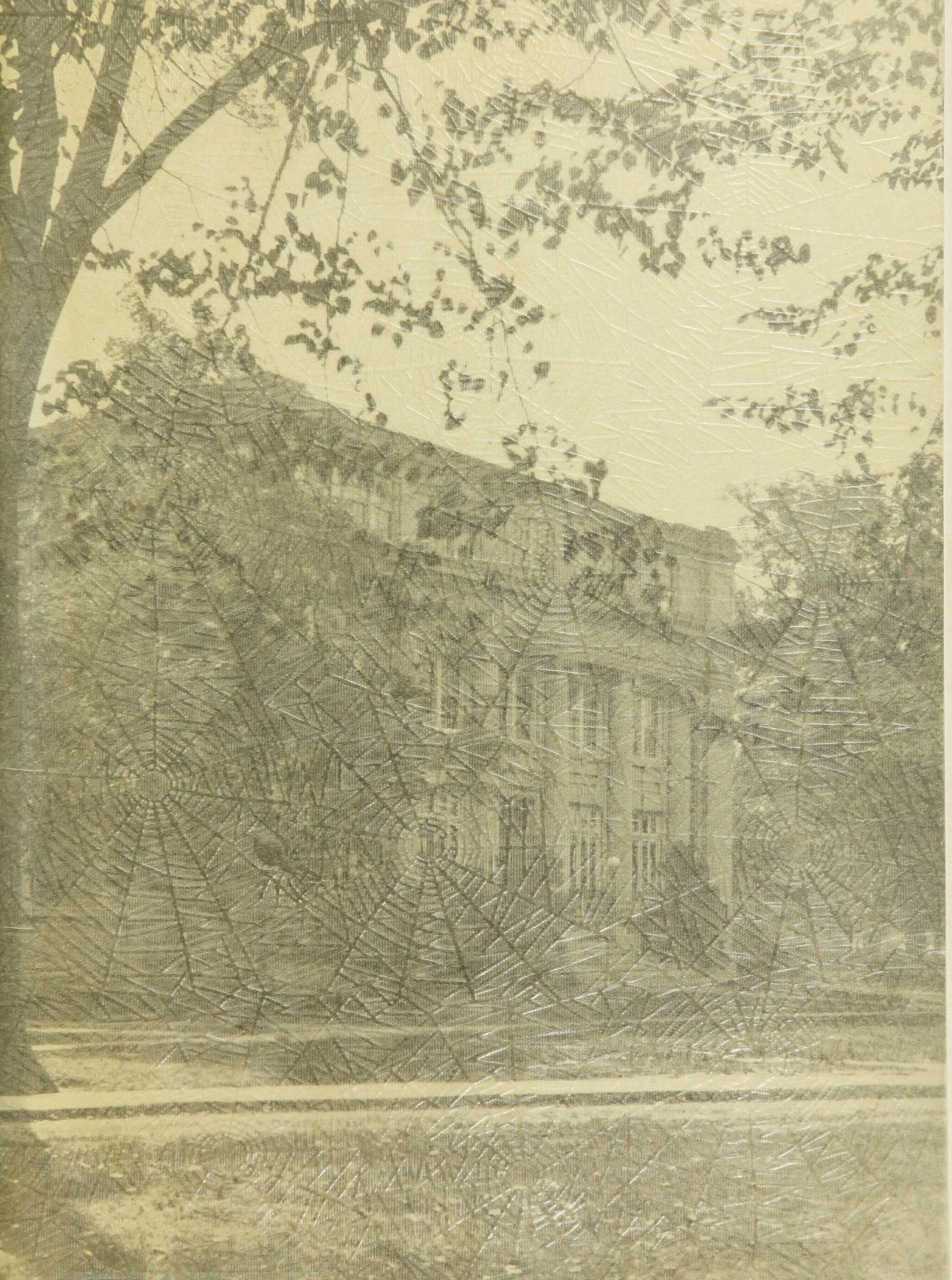
CHORUS

Lux in tenebris, Alma Mater,
Lux in tenebris, luce.

Lux in tenebris, Alma Mater,
May thy light be never dimmed;
Watch thou, therefore, Zion's daughter,
Keep thy lamp well oiled and trimmed,
While light giving, Light receiving
From the Fountain head of light.

Lux in tenebris, Alma Mater,
Into darkness light to carry,
Send thy sons o'er land and water,
Each a living luminary.
Self-consuming while illumining,
Those that have not seen the light.

Lux in tenebris, Luminary,
Glory full of truth and grace;
Let the world perceive Thy glory
And behold Thee face to face.
Apprehending, Comprehending,
Jesus, Saviour, Light of Light.



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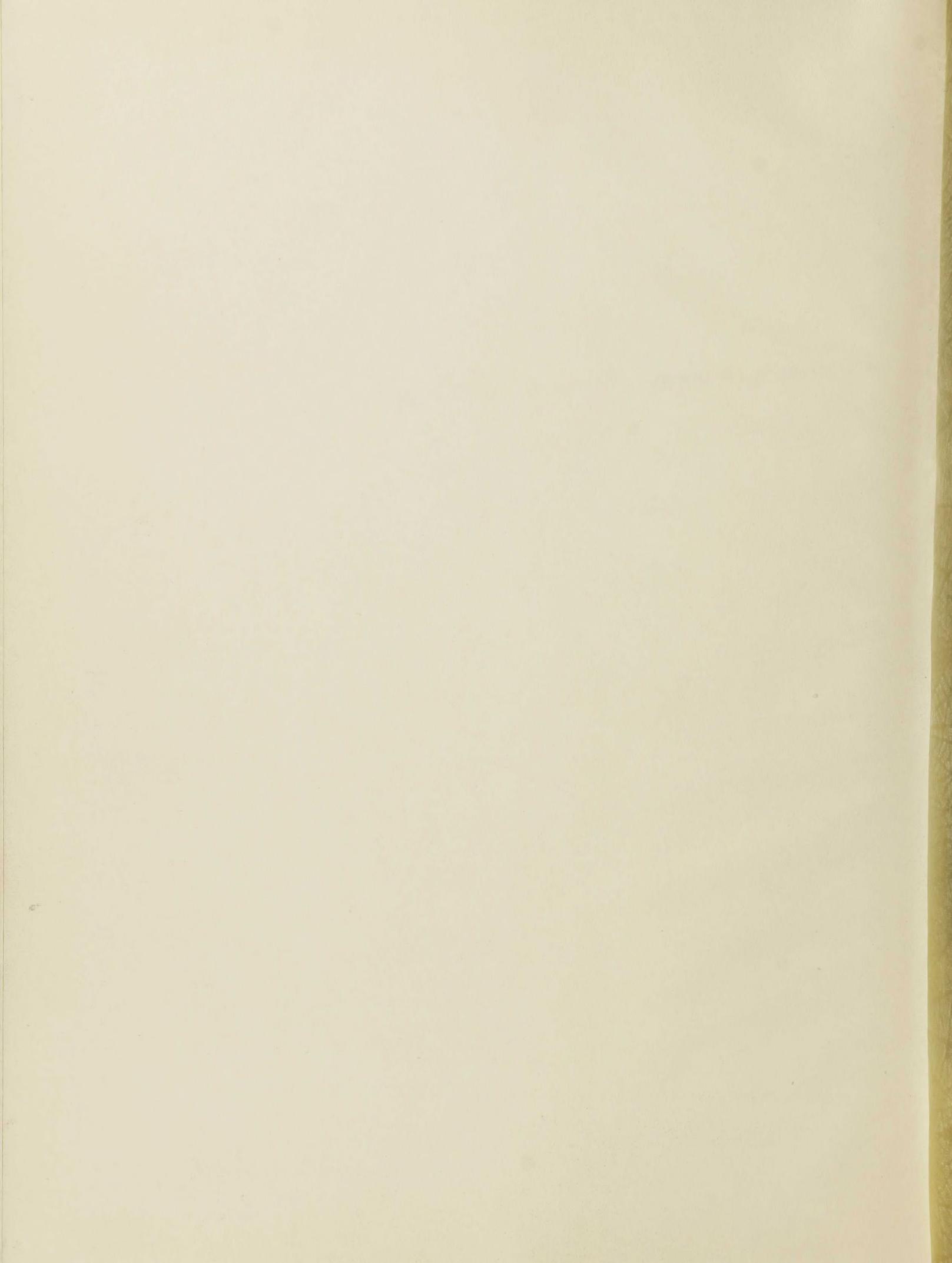
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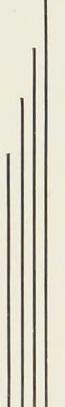


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Foreword

WE face the future unafraid! Though civilization be torn by chaos and threats of destruction, we enter into life eager to meet its hardships and problems, confident that we can make a contribution, out of the store of our youthful vision and courage, to the solution of the world's ills. The Class of 1936 goes forth to battle, with the determination to bend, and not be bent by Life.

Dedication

TO Professor Harry T. Taylor, in grateful appreciation of his strivings with and in the behalf of the students of our Institution, that their eagerness for knowledge shall ever be quickened, and in recognition of his untiring services in the interests of Bloomfield College and Seminary, we, the Class of 1936, respectfully dedicate this volume.

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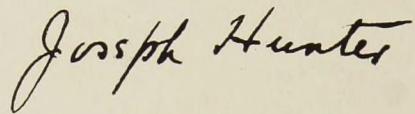
To the Class of 1936:

In your courses here we have sought to develop your gifts, to make what is potential in you actual. It has been our constant aim to fit you for independent thinking, to enable you to reach informed judgments on matters that are vital to human welfare. The great need of democracy in Church and State is for enlightened leadership. Not to dominate men and women but to convince and persuade them, is the supreme task of educated people. It is in the confident faith that you can do this that we send you forth.

Be tolerant of the opinion of others but loyal to your own convictions. Without any sacrifice of such loyalty, learn to co-operate with people of different creeds for the achievement of high moral objectives. Be zealous for your own rights but respectful of the rights of others. Let the graces of the Christian faith be manifest in all you do and say.

Remember our institution which has furthered you on your educational journey. Keep your windows open for new light, and may the Blessing of God rest upon you and the Spirit of Christ fill your hearts.

Very sincerely yours,



President.

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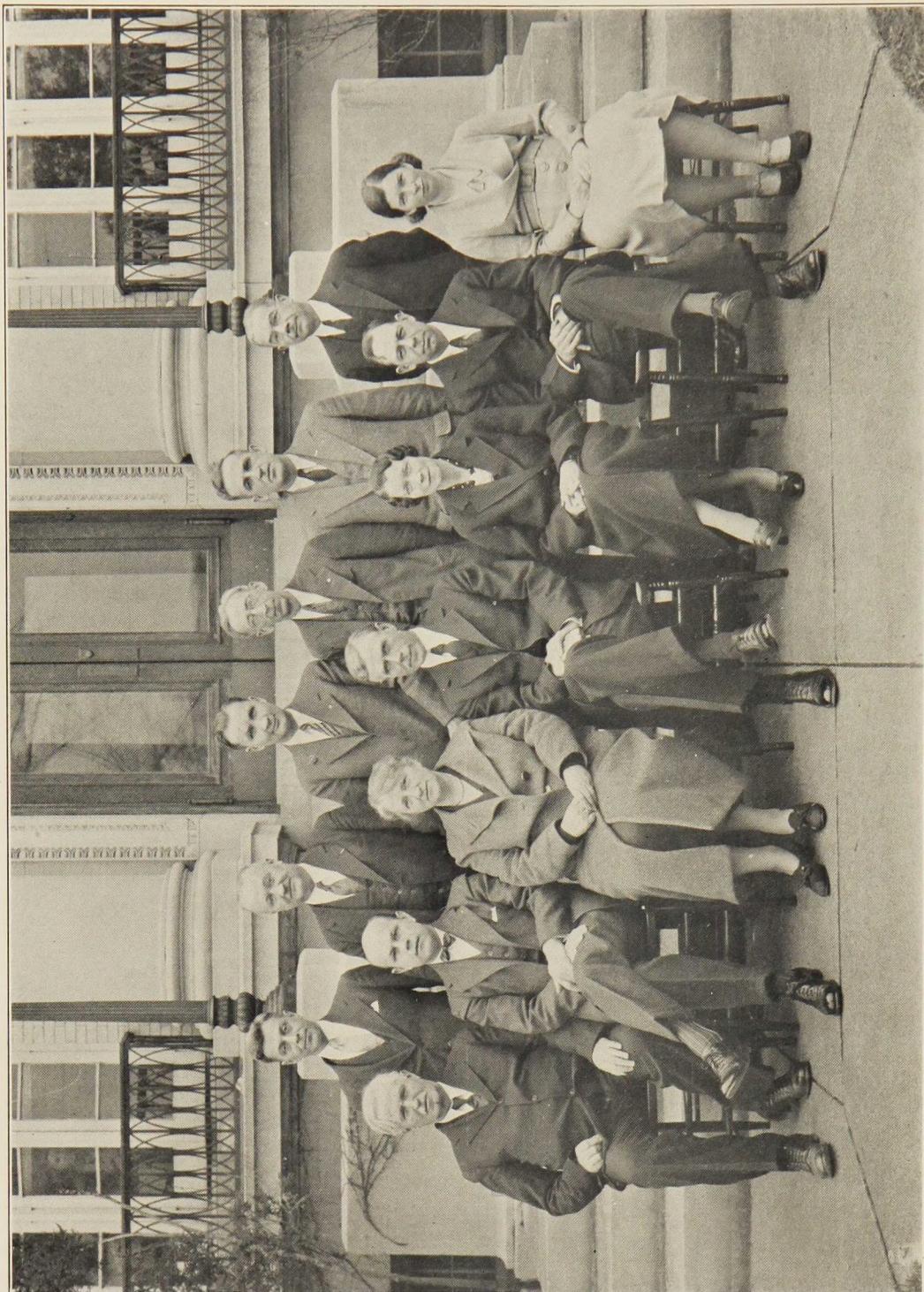
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1885 - 1935

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God Send Us Men

God send us men whose aim 'twill be,
Not to defend some ancient creed,
But to live out the laws of Right
In every thought and word and deed.

God send us men alert and quick
His lofty precepts to translate,
Until the laws of Right become
The laws and habits of the State.

God send us men of steadfast will,
Patient, courageous, strong and true;
With vision clear and mind equipped,
His will to learn, His work to do.

God send us men with hearts ablaze,
All truth to love, all wrong to hate;
These are the patriots nations need,
These are the bulwarks of the State.

—F. J. Gillman.

Class History

AELANCHOLY and sad though it sounds, yet it is true. The end of our school days has arrived, and a new portal has swung open, revealing other horizons toward which we must strive. Coming now to the parting of the ways, we transport ourselves, in retrospect, to those days when our dear Alma Mater first drew us into her embrace.

Time has passed with incredible rapidity, and time has altered us unbelievably. As vivid and as keen as the perceptions of this hour, are the contrasts between ourselves as we were and as we now are. We entered Bloomfield as untried, green freshmen, who were starting on our orientation journey under the guidance of older and more experienced men. We began to question, rebel against and doubt; we began to mistrust the guiding hands which were leading us forward. Deeper experience and more mature wisdom now forces from us an expression of deep gratitude to those who so patiently helped us forward in spite of ourselves.

Into the various activities of campus life we finally moved, to take our place, and to satisfy the urge to do things. We took responsibility from those who were leaving for other fields, and have attempted to maintain the high standards entrusted to us, while at the same time we moved forward. Problems presented themselves for our solution. We tried! Sometimes we failed, sometimes were successful. Always we learned, taking heart from those successes we enjoyed.

Our history, we will admit, is colored and characterized by those human qualities that enter into every history. We do not attempt a record of achievements and events for your intelligence, because we feel that such a record would be trite. Any class in its outward form can parallel our history. As regards our inward development and progress, however, we feel, and say with full assurance, that we have achieved marks worthy of commendation.

We leave these portals, resolved to exercise at all times an adequate and tolerant understanding, a will in which restraint and forcefulness are united, an appreciation of conditions, an intellectual hospitality, a responsive heart, a moral constructiveness, a deeply religious nature and outlook, an intellectual and moral steadiness united with progressiveness, and an untiring moral courage.

Some in the class have been drawn closely together. Through common labors and interests, friendships have been formed that will last for years to come. These friendships, with each other, with the Faculty, and with the entire student body, we will long cherish as among the finest gifts Bloomfield has bestowed upon us.

We, the class of 1936, are deeply grateful for all that our beloved Alma Mater has done for us, and humbly pray that she shall always be able to look upon us as bringing honor to her name.

Class Prophecy

ONE beautiful spring night, under the spell of an enchanting moon and the balmy night air, I wandered through the park, and came to rest on a bench drenched in the soothing perfume of surrounding floral beds.

Peace at last! A perfect atmosphere in which to wring from my weary, befogged mind the answer to my seeking. Where will my classmates and I be ten, twenty, or thirty years from now? What shall we be doing? Now we are young, and full of joyful enthusiasm, dreaming dreams of the happy futures before us—planning our lives step by step. But shall they be so? If only I could see beyond the veil of the present, and behold the course of Destiny!

But what is this? I am rising! I am being drawn upward by a strange force that carries me clear of the bench and the surrounding trees. I am being pushed, not pulled, and yet there is nothing touching me. What is it? What dark power has reached out to me? And then—darkness.

Later, I know not how many minutes, or hours, or days, I regained consciousness, to find myself in what appeared to be a small, but well equipped laboratory. But what a strange place! There seemed to be no end of machines, machines of every conceivable size and design. As my wondering gaze made a circle of the room, trying to gain a clear picture of its contents, I encountered the quizzical smile of an old, old man. Yet, it was only that he was shrivelled and bent, that he seemed old, for his eyes, fastened on mine in kindly laughter, were as lively and full of youthful fire as it had ever been my privilege to behold.

"You wonder where you are, my young friend," came the statement, in a rich, pleasant voice, "but have no fears. You are perfectly safe, and will be returned when you are ready to go."

"But who are you? How came I here? What do you want of me?"

"Who I am we need not worry about. It is not necessary that you know. How you were brought here is a story that is technically beyond your ability to comprehend. Let me simply say that I am a scientist, and have perfected an antigravitation that served to bring you to this place. I am not desirous of telling you where you are. Just be content to know that no harm will come to you."

The strong, pleasant tone of the stranger did much to reassure me, but again I asked to know why I was there.

"You are desirous of knowing what life holds in store for you, and for your classmates. How I know is beside the point, but it is so. It is my pleasure tonight to bring to you an answer to your question, if you are willing to accept it. I have here a machine that will project you into the future, as far as you want to go. There is no danger, for its operation is so simple a babe would be able to manipulate it. Are you willing to trust yourself in it?"

Strange though it seems, I did not doubt the truth of the scientist's statement, but eagerly assented to do it. He explained to me the control box of

the square machine, into which I then stepped. What a thrill went through me, as I stood for a moment, fingers on the controls, with the future within my grasp!

"Well, here goes nothing."

So saying, I set the dial for 1946 and pushed the switch over; 1955 — 1960 — 1966 — 1973 — 1980. I stopped long at each year, drinking in all that I could see, gasping with sheer joy at some of the wonderful things in store for the future generations. Then, reluctantly, I returned to the present.

"Are your questions answered now, friend?" asked my benefactor, as I stepped from the machine.

"More than I had ever hoped they might be, kind sir. I don't know why you have chosen to favor me this night so greatly, but I wish to thank you for it from the bottom of my heart. If you can but return me to the park, that I may write what I have seen . . . ?"

Almost with my words I felt myself drop, as though the floor had suddenly given way under me, and once again I lost consciousness. When I recovered, it was to find myself back on the park bench, in the midst of the same fragrant flowers.

You might scoff at my experience, and play the part of skeptics, and well you may, for it is almost as difficult for me to feel that it could actually have occurred. I simply give you herewith a summary of some of the things I saw concerning my classmates, and leave it to the future to prove the truth of my adventure that night.

Casale standing on a corner teaching the secrets of life to a group of eager youths.

Case, recalling his school days, insisting upon attendance at his Greek classes.

Rasky seated at a desk in a large bank, behind a door marked "Treasurer." Csepke as President of the "We-Get-'Em Collection Agency."

Luella Didget patiently waiting at home for Jay.

Largent as director of a Boy Scout camp.

Milyoscik comfortably stretched in the shade of the South Sea palms, while recalling his energetic school days.

Virchick as Prime Minister of Czechoslovakia.

Gero, as Mayor of Vintondale, patting the golden locks of lovely little girls.

Bill Johnson (B.A., B.D., B.TH., D.D., LL.D., LITT.D., PH.D., B.V.D.) President of Washington Baptist Seminary

Hunsberger, author of world's foremost volume on the "Origin and Value of the Pun."

Simpson as Secretary of the International Association of Y. M. C. A.'s.

Jenkins as Bishop-at-Large of the Congregational Churches, (they'll have them by then.)

Condro as leader of the Third Party, attempting to bring about a greater measure of social reform.

Bill Horvath with a smile on his face?



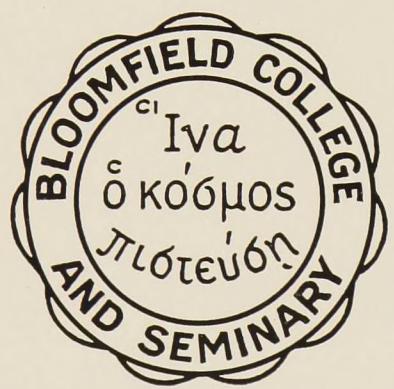
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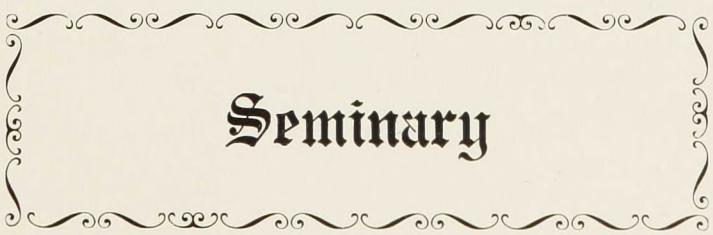
Dr. Gustafson

Unavoidably absent when the Faculty picture was taken, but too much a part of the school to be absent from these pages.



Seniors





Seminary



RENATO CASALE

"Renato"

Newark, N. J.

Philosopher — artist — musician —. This is our Renato. To the uninitiate he is a blunt fellow, but, to those who know him, he appears warm-hearted and sympathetic.

As a player and would-be composer of music, Renato has a key to the beautiful in life, and his vocal powers are by no means to be lightly passed by.

His dogmatism is perhaps the side of Renato's nature that will longest be remembered. Woe to the poor innocent who dares to refute one of Renato's declared truths!

He has displayed a commendable perseverance in his stay of eleven years here in Bloomfield. This, together with his other abilities, and a sincere desire to be of service, augurs a happy future for him. May it be so, Renato.

Activity—Pi Delta Upsilon.



RAYMOND CASE

"Ray"

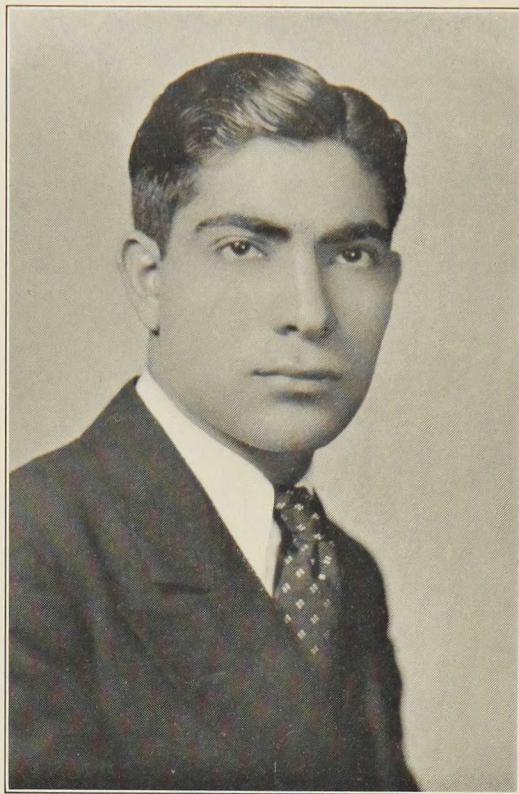
South Hampton, L. I.

Week-end trips to Long Island that took Ray away from the campus, did not lessen his interest in the school's activities, nor serve to make him little known. Ray is one of our most popular students.

Perhaps one reason for this is the fact that he always has a good story ready. His keen wit and sense of humor have provided many laughs for otherwise dull occasions.

Ray's natural eloquence and sound judgment, coupled with his understanding and appreciation of the problems of others, will carry him far in the field he has chosen. Our best wishes go with you, Ray.

Activities—Chaplain, Pi Delta Upsilon, '35-'36.



FRANK C. CONDRO

"Frank"

Cliffside Park, N. J.

Frank's well-deserved popularity is due to his happy manner, ready participation in the school activities, and willingness to help others whenever he can.

He says that we must have peace, and we will have peace, even if we have to fight for it. Frank is a good little scrapper, always ready for an argument, but always ready and willing to acknowledge his mistakes.

The place of the Church is in the very midst of life, says Frank. This belief makes of him one of our staunchest advocates of social action, and one has but to mention the word to see the light come into Frank's eyes. His ability as an organizer was seen at our Peace Day celebration last year, when he did a fine piece of work.

May your vision never dim, and your courage never fail, Frank.

Activities—Glee Club, '34-'35, '35-'36; French Club; Chaplain, Lambda Rho fraternity.



DOMINICK DITORO

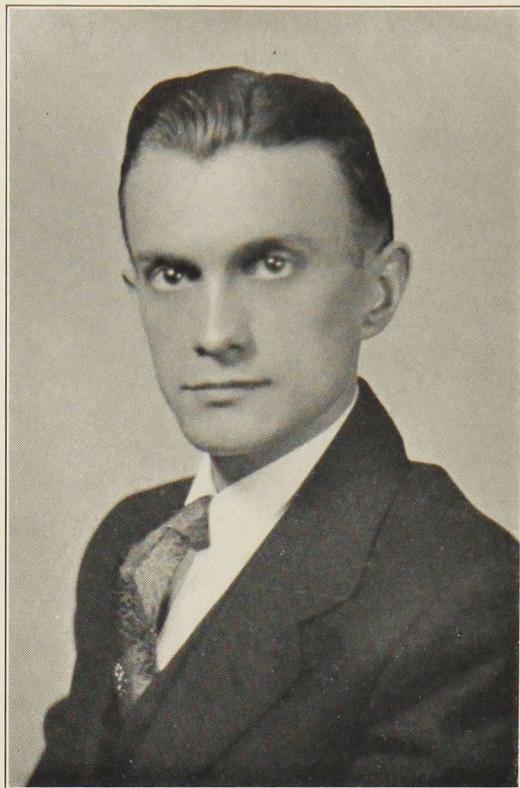
"Dom"

Pittston, Pa.

The general routine of classroom work and preparation has not been a responsibility of "Dom" this year, since he completed that part of his work some time ago. He was lacking a thesis which this year has been accepted.

His time is fully taken up with his new charge, The Italian Mission at Neptune, N. J. His field of service is not easy, yet, with all his characteristic energy and faith he is able to move forward and we find that his work leads to real accomplishments.

Activities—Vice-president of Y. M. C. A., '31; President of Pensiero ed Azione, '31-'32; member of Bloomfield Male Quartet.



WILLIAM HORVATH

"Bill"

Norwalk, Conn.

"Just plain Bill," is the way he would have himself known, and so it shall be. Bill has always been a quiet fellow, with no show or pomp about any of his undertakings, great or small.

Bill's ability as a whistler is the envy of those who know it. It is said that even the most gifted of canaries hush their warbling when Bill holds forth. This gift, together with his talents as an engraver, affords Bill much pleasure and amusement.

In his work with his church in Bayonne, Bill has displayed an eagerness to be of service that promises much for the future. It is our sincere wish that Fortune may smile upon his efforts, and bring a realization of his dreams and aspirations. Good luck, Bill!



JOHN MILYOCSIK, Jr.

"John"

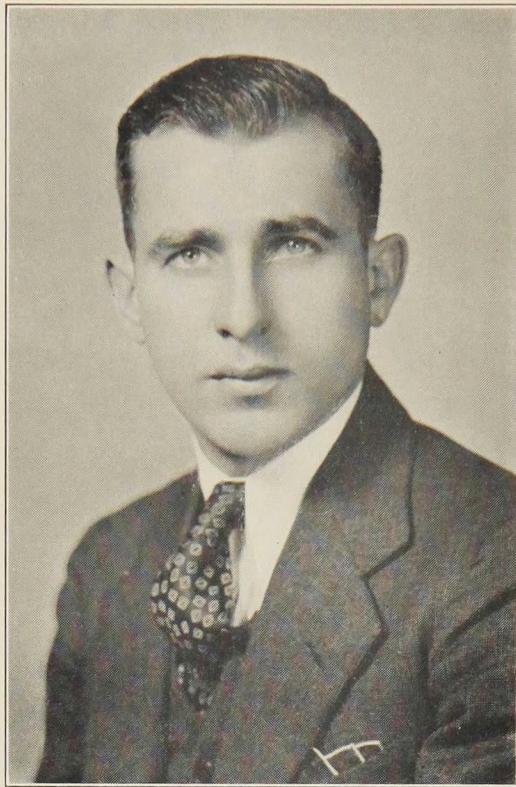
Rankin, Pa.

"John" is one of those individuals who wends his way undisturbed by the blare and frenzy of life. He pursues his unhurried way, come what will.

"John" is the least heard man on the campus. He seems to have found the secret of getting the most with the least effort, for we must confess that we've never seen John really work for anything. Tell us how you do it, "John."

He leaves Bloomfield, to minister to his people, with our best wishes for a happy and successful career. Good luck!

Activity—Lambda Rho.



JOSEPH RASKY
"Schnozzie"

Alpha, N. J.

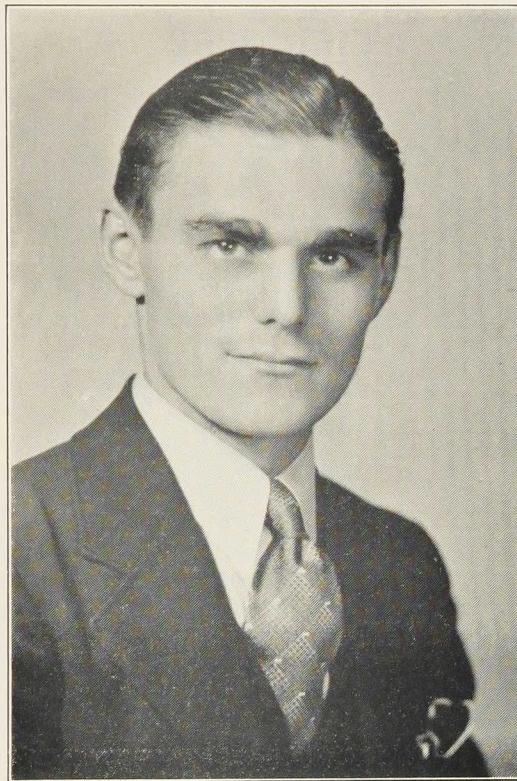
"Schnozzie" is the busiest man off of the campus. Almost any time you see him, he is either just going to, or just returning from work of some kind. Industriousness is a valuable virtue, Schnozzie, and we congratulate you on your possession of it.

Not only is he the busiest man; "Schnozzie" is also the thriftiest. He has a keen business sense, and this, coupled with his ability to "pinch the pennies," might indicate a future banker. It ought, at any rate, to promise a comfortable living.

"Schnozzie" has made many warm friends in the community during his stay here, especially in one of the local churches, where he put in some time taking care of the fires. They will miss you when you go.

Good luck to you, "Schnozzie." May life find in you a worthy opponent, and bestow upon you its finest gifts.

Activities—Basketball Manager, '34-'35.



GEORGE VIRCHICK, Jr.
"Piso"

Linden, N. J.

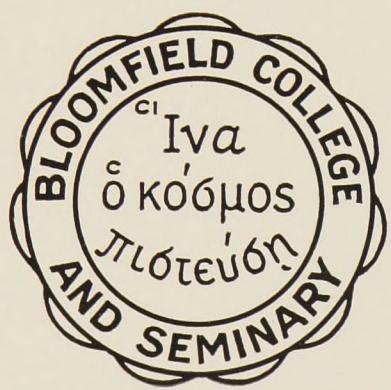
Between serving his congregation at Trembly, and his school work, "Piso" has little time to himself, but he is always ready to spend it in behalf of a worthy cause. You need but to ask, to gain a ready response.

"Piso's" sincerity has won him a place in the hearts of all who know him, and he will leave behind, when he goes, pleasant memories of a man worth knowing.

The fire of love for his native land still burns brightly in "Piso's" heart, and often has he lived in his mind the glories of the past, and the promises of the future, for his beloved Czechoslovakia. His staunch support of it has been the basis of many arguments in the refectory, and he has held his ground admirably.

Be true to your ideals, "Piso," and life will be good to you.

Activities—Grand Treasurer, Lambda Rho, '35-'36; Associate Editor, *Saga*, '36.



College



WILLIAM F. CSEPKE
"Chippy"

Bridgeport, Conn.

"Chippy's" ready smile and good humor play a large part in making him well liked by his fellow classmates. Too, he is always ready to be of help to anyone who asks.

His tenacity has been an invaluable asset to "Chippy" in his duties as treasurer of the Senior class, as well as of other organizations. "Chippy" "haunts" his victims until they pay up from sheer weariness.

"Chippy" is a student of no mean ability. In his four years of college he has attained a large degree of proficiency in several languages, and a good record in his other courses.

Although short of stature, "Chippy" has many qualities of a "big" man, and we know he will make his mark in the world. May the best of success crown your life's endeavors, "Chippy."

Activities—Sergeant-at-Arms, Pi Delta Upsilon, '33-'34; Treasurer, Pi Delta Upsilon, '34-'35, '35-'36; Treasurer, Senior Class, '36.



LUELLA DIDGET

"Luella"

Center Square, Pa.

Luella graduated from the Lucy Webb Hayes Training School in Washington, D. C., in 1930, and spent two years in active service as a Deaconess in a church in Indianapolis, Ind., before coming to Bloomfield.

During her stay here, in conjunction with her studies, she has been active among the children of one of our Presbyterian churches.

Luella did not forsake life on the campus, with all her outside activities. Last year she was captain and star of the co-ed's basketball team, piloting it through a victorious season.

Through her kindly nature and wide activity in social service, Luella has gathered a host of warm friends, and there will be many who will sincerely regret her departure to other fields of service.

She leaves Bloomfield well prepared to carry on a good work in her chosen field of social service. May success crown your every effort.

Activities—Glee Club, '34-'35, '35-'36; Captain, Basketball Team, '34-'35; Vice-President, Phi Beta Delta, '35-'36; Secretary, Senior Class, '36.



WILLIAM S. GERO

"Doby"

Vintondale, Penna.

"Doby" possesses a ready smile, a hearty greeting and an optimistic outlook on life that will stand him in good stead wherever he may go.

In fact, we suspect that they are already being used to good advantage, when we observe the way the "fair ladies" succumb to his charms. Many of us, "Doby," would like to know the secret of your success.

From the beautiful, sturdy hills that are his home, "Doby" has gained qualities that will carry him through life equipped to "fight the good fight." His ability as a student are evidences of his desire for knowledge, and who, that has that desire, can fail to be a success?

Be ever as eager, "Doby," and go forth with the knowledge that the best wishes of your classmates and friends go with you.

Activities—Deputy Grand Master Pi Delta Upsilon,
'34-'35.



FREDERICK F. JENKINS
"Fred"

East Orange, N. J.

A sincere desire to spend himself, in the service of others, has marked Fred's life in Bloomfield.

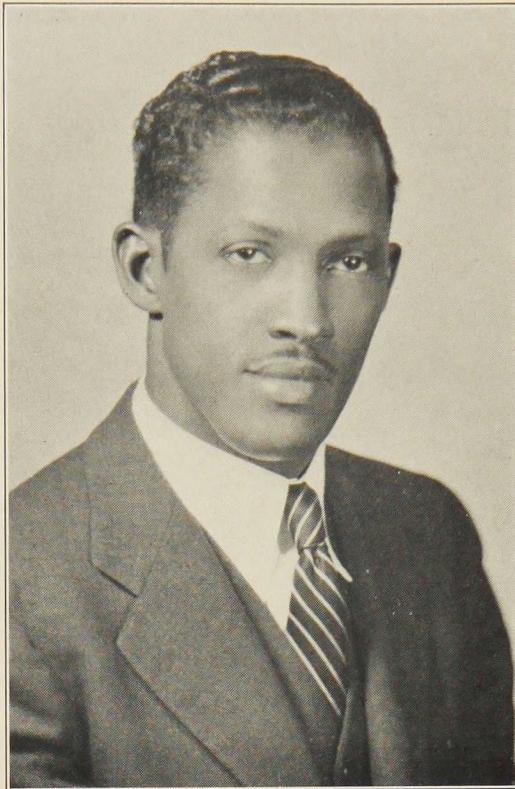
Under his intelligent and energetic leadership many of the extra-curricula activities of the school were born and nurtured, and new life and meaning given to the old.

Into his academic work Fred has carried the same enthusiasm and industriousness, and has maintained a high scholastic average throughout, as a result.

Fred is inclined to be tolerant, yet forceful, when he is attempting to deliver an opinion, but we wonder why he becomes so downright emphatic when the conversation may turn to the "fairer sex." Surely, his emphatic denial of interest is not a smoke screen?

Bloomfield is proud to send you forth, Fred, and with you go the sincerest wishes of all for a happy and rich life.

Activities: President of S. C. A., '35-'36; Grand Master, Pi Delta Upsilon, '35-'36; President, Senior Class, '36; President, Glee Club, '35-'36; Laureate, Arista Society, '33-'34, '34-'35; Director of Glee Club, '34-'35; Financial Secretary, Pi Delta Upsilon, '32-'33, '33-'34; Sec'y, French Society, '34-'35.



WILLIAM A. JOHNSON

"Bill"

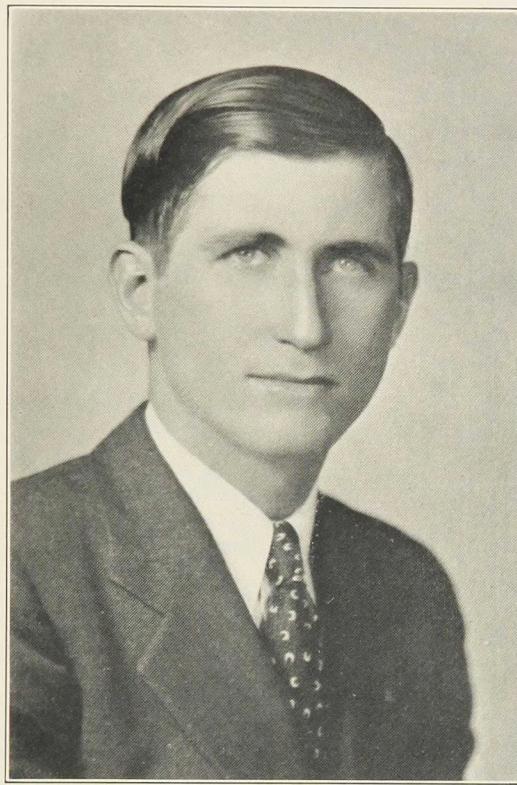
Plainfield, N. J.

Although Bill has commuted the four years of his attendance at Bloomfield, he has never lost interest in its life, or failed to respond when called upon to take a part in it. His deep basso, which played such an effective part in giving to our choir that necessary foundation for a well voiced group, will be sorely missed.

Bill came originally from Washington, where he attended the Washington Baptist Seminary. At present he is serving the Shiloh Baptist Church in Plainfield, where his sincerity and ability are proving fruitful.

With all of his preaching, Bill's scholastic standing has not suffered, nor is his studying to come to an end. He plans to carry on at a larger institution in the fall, to work for his M. A. Know, Bill, that the friendship and best wishes of your classmates go with you.

Activities: Glee Club, '34-'35, '35-'36; Pi Delta Upsilon.



JOHN W. LARGENT

"Jay"

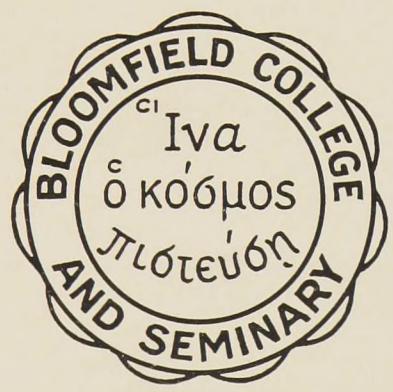
Lakeland, Fla.

Jay comes from the "sunny South," where, he says, they do things as they should be done. We can't vouch for that, but we do know that he has completed his college course in three years. Congratulations!

Besides his many subjects, he has found time to be very active in the Master's vineyard. He served in one of the local churches, where he leaves many warm friends.

Jay's goal in life is to become a minister. He has many of the qualities that go to make a good one; sincerity in his calling, a firm stand for the right and a willingness to serve wherever called. If he carries on he will succeed. Best of luck to you!

Activities—Pi Delta Upsilon; Business Manager of the *Saga*, 36.



Academy



GEORGE S. HUNSMERGER

"George"

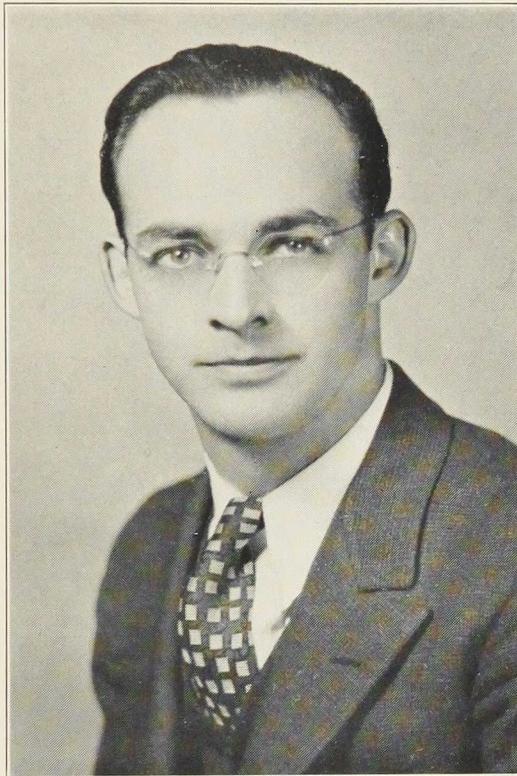
Norristown, Penna.

George came to us in 1934 from the Hill Preparatory School, eager to complete his academy work, and to enter into college life. He has achieved his purpose, completing the first year of his college course along with his academy subjects.

It is said that he is a happy man who can always see the bright side of life. George's ever-ready laughter and his tendency to pun about anything and everything would indicate a state of constant happiness. We trust it is so.

He brings to his tasks a perseverance and industry that promise success in all of his future undertakings. Keep up the good work, George. We wish you well.

Activities—Glee Club, '34-'35, '35-'36; French Club, '34-'35, '35-'36; Vice-President, '34-'35; Lambda Rho; Arista Society.



KENNETH G. SIMPSON

"Ken"

Newark, N. J.

Although he now receives only his Academy diploma, "Ken" has already completed two years of his college work.

"Ken" is a firm believer in the necessity for social action, and he attempts to bring it into everything he does. Like so many people of a like mind, he sometimes becomes impatient at the slow pace of progress. Remember, "Ken," that haste is too often accompanied by mistakes.

We wonder if all the time "Ken" spends in Newark is actually spent where he says it is? From our observations, and from some things we have heard, we find it difficult to believe that work claims so much of his time.

If he brings to all of his endeavors the enthusiasm and effort that "Ken" has shown in his work on the *Saga*, his should be a worthwhile career. Our best wishes go with you, "Ken."

Activities—Glee Club, '34-'35; Pi Delta Upsilon; Editor of the *Saga*, '36.

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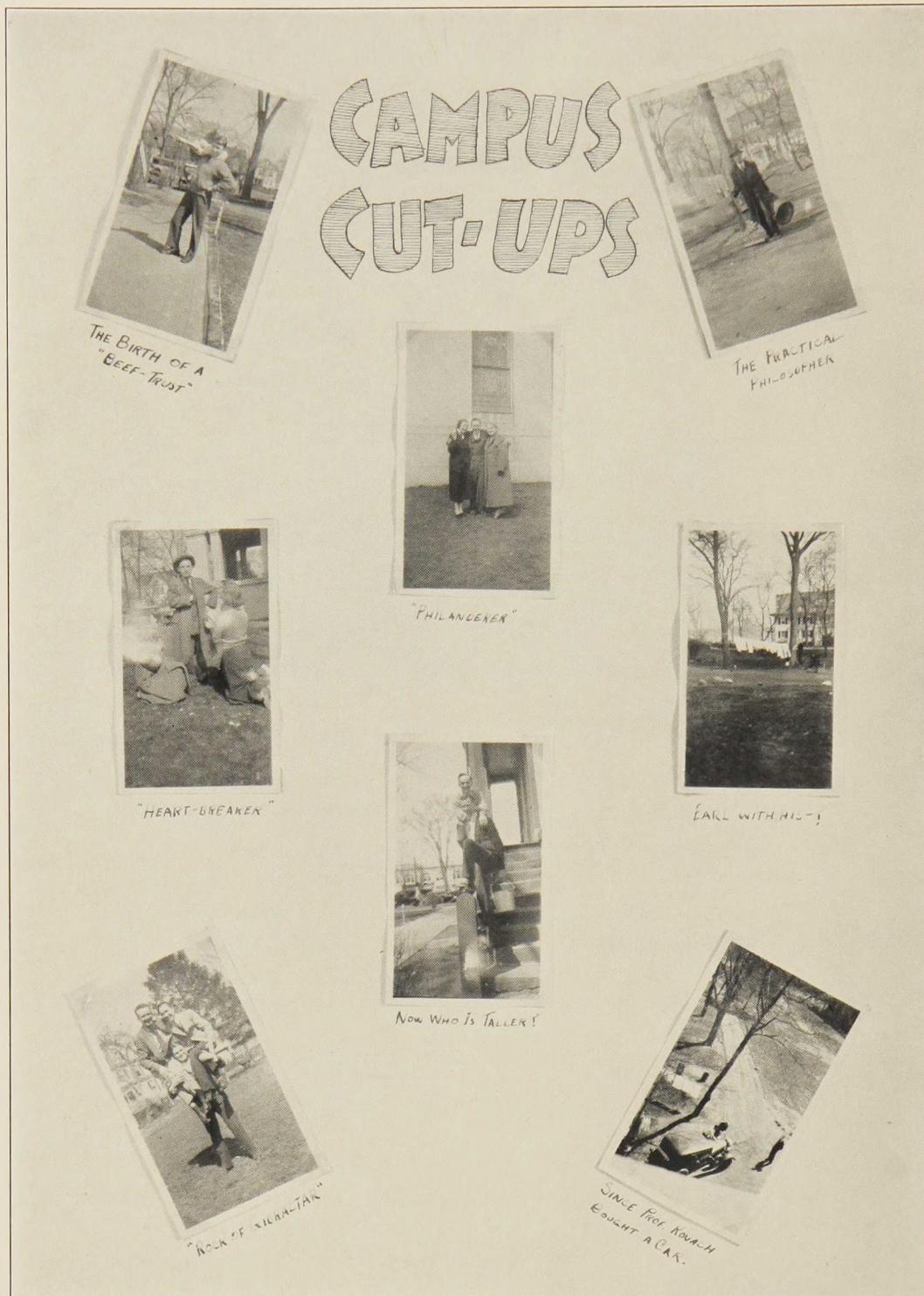
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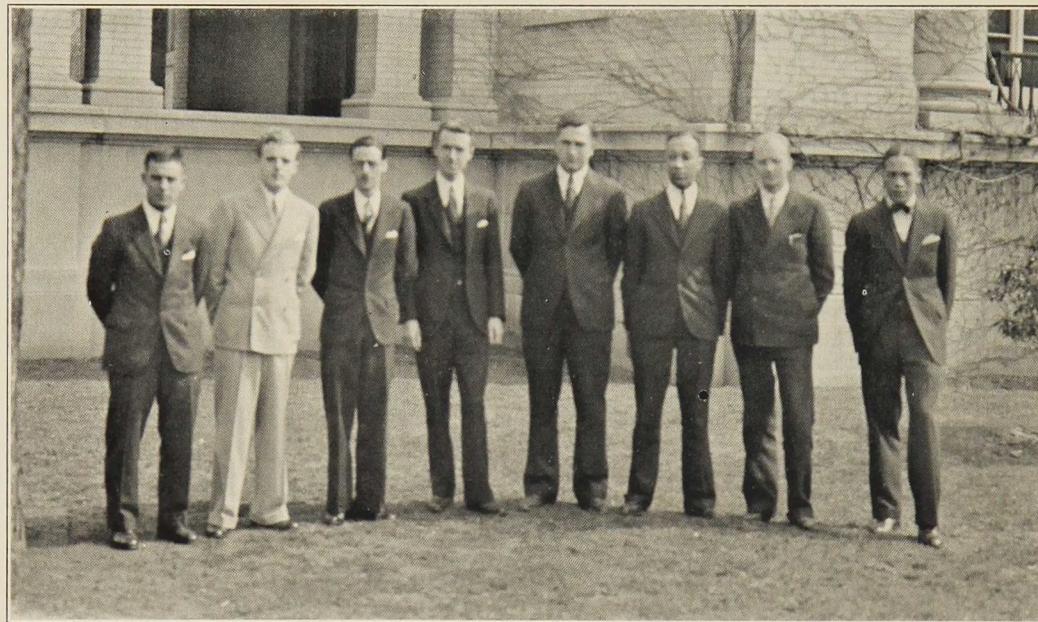




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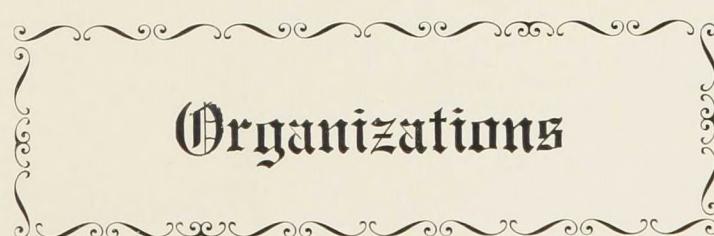
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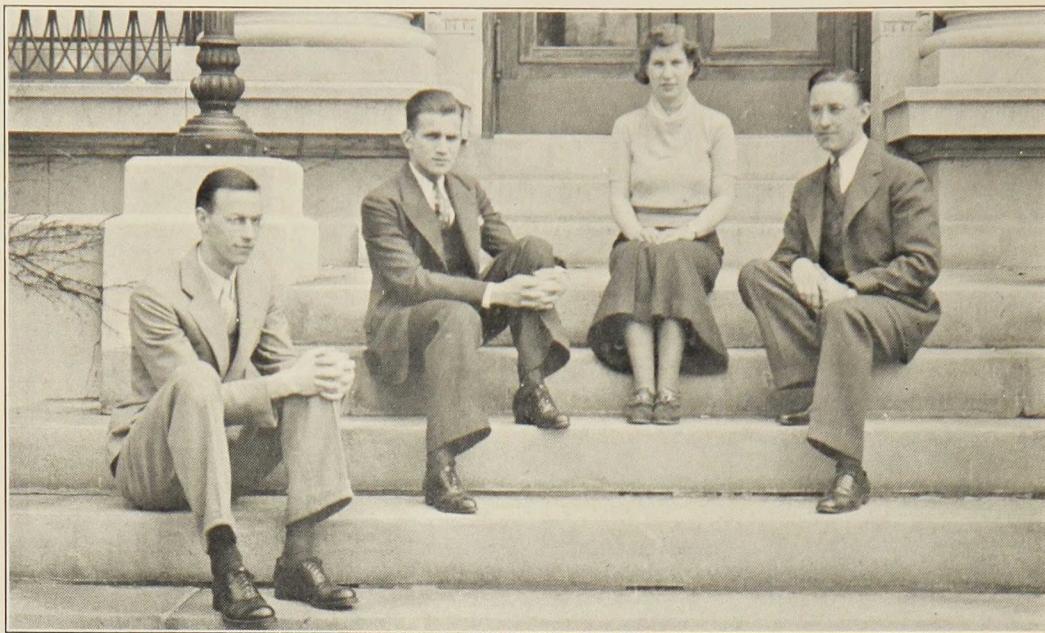
FRESHMAN CLASS



ACADEMY DEPARTMENT



Organizations



Student Christian Association

President ----- Frederick F. Jenkins

Vice-President ----- Andrew D. Demeter

Treasurer ----- Earl Van Leeuwen

Secretary ----- Nancy Coy

To make life for the students happy and constructive is the objective of the Student Christian Association. All activities which affect the entire student body are within its jurisdiction, and it has attempted to face this responsibility by providing activities that will encompass the interests of all. All students are eligible for membership, and are urged to find their places in its many endeavors.

To keep the ideals of Bloomfield ever alive in the minds of the students and the community, and to make our Alma Mater beloved by all, is the desire and goal toward which all of the efforts of the Student Christian Association are directed.



Choir

Miss Roberta Bitgood, M.A., F.A.G.O., M.S.M.	Director
Frederick F. Jenkins	President
J. Edgar Edwards	Vice-President
Lottie Rucki	Secretary
Milton P. Seeger	Librarian

When Miss Roberta Bitgood became the director of the Music Department and the Choir, a great change came about in the music of the school. Two courses in music were offered to the student body, one an elementary course in Music and Hymnology, and the other a course in Choir Organization and Direction.

The Choir, which meets for rehearsal twice each week, and sings at the chapel services, was organized last fall. It has presented several special programs throughout the year, and has also sung on a radio program.

The object of the Choir is to present the most beautiful and worshipful of church music. It strives to discard the undignified and theologically unsound hymns of the past, and to bring forth the best that is to be found in both ancient and modern worship music.



Arista Society

Keeper of the Records ----- J. Gjisbert Wiersma
Laureate ----- Milton Paul Seeger

The Arista Society was organized in April, 1933, by a group of students interested in cultural subjects not included in the school curriculum. Many of the members have graduated or have gone to other schools. The organization, however, has grown constantly, and meets regularly to hear programs contributed by its members for the cultural advancement of those interested. Its primary contribution is the school paper, *The Arista*, which is published monthly. Through its columns the members and entire student body can express themselves freely. The paper also strives to give the news of the campus and outstanding events at other nearby colleges.



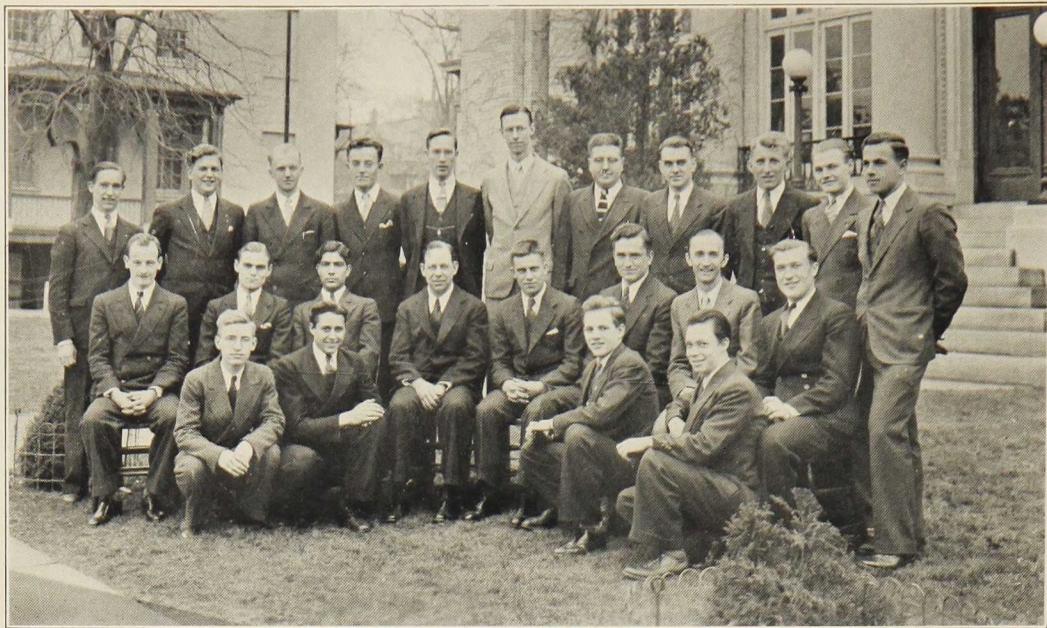
Pi Delta Upsilon

<i>Grand Master</i> -----	Frederick F. Jenkins
<i>Deputy Grand Master</i> -----	Fred C. Demarest
<i>Grand Scribe</i> -----	Milton P. Seeger
<i>Grand Treasurer</i> -----	William F. Csepke
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<i>Sergeant-at-Arms</i> -----	Joseph Szentkiralyi
<i>Faculty Adviser</i> -----	Dr. Otto J. Walrath
<i>Honorary Member</i> -----	Dr. Joseph Hunter

A new landmark in the life of Bloomfield was established with the birth of Pi Delta Upsilon, conceived from the seeds of Christian brotherhood and idealism. It's life, though short, has proven it to be a worthwhile venture.

Though recognizing the importance of social life to students, Pi Delta Upsilon has gone beyond this in its attempt to be constructive in the spiritual and intellectual life of the school. At its meetings, men of varied interests have presented different aspects of life to those who attended.

While Pi Delta Upsilon has each year given a tangible gift to the school, its greatest gift is, and shall ever be, the part it plays in shaping the thought and action of the student body. For its efforts in this direction, Bloomfield can well be proud of this band of loyal sons.



Lambda Rho

<i>Grand Master</i> -----	Joseph S. Marta
<i>Deputy Grand Master</i> -----	Andrew E. Harto
<i>Grand Scribe</i> -----	Stephen Fazekas, Jr.
<i>Grand Treasurer</i> -----	George Virchick, Jr.
<i>Chaplain</i> -----	Frank C. Condro
<i>Sergeant-at-Arms</i> -----	George Donnelly
<i>Faculty Adviser</i> -----	Prof. Harry T. Taylor

Lambda Rho Fraternity, although only in its second year, has done much to promote friendship, leadership and scholarship. It has given to its members a wider acquaintance with the field of education, through its various cultural and social activities.

During the current year the forums which were conducted by Lambda Rho were well attended by the student body. Through these activities the fraternity wishes to give to the school its best and most worthy endeavors.

With its planned program for the future, Lambda Rho desires to be a potent factor in making the life of the undergraduate more fruitful, and to take its important place in a well rounded college career.



Phi Beta Delta

<i>President</i> -----	Helen Horvath
<i>Vice-President</i> -----	Luella Didget
<i>Secretary</i> -----	Nancy Coy
<i>Treasurer</i> -----	Irene Vodka
<i>Chaplain</i> -----	Luella Didget
<i>Faculty Advisor</i> -----	Mrs. Emilie C. Berger

Phi Beta Delta, sister-sorority to Pi Delta Upsilon, was organized in May, 1935, that the co-eds of our institution might enjoy the advantages of spiritual, intellectual and social comradeship among themselves.

To uphold and give new meaning to the ideals upon which Bloomfield was established, to play its part in the life of the students, and to attract to our halls an increasing number of their own sex who are interested in the higher life, are the objectives of the sorority.

Phi Beta Delta faces the future unafraid, and undismayed by the difficulties of its task, for its confidence in, and love for, its Alma Mater, are strong enough to overcome all obstacles.



Debating Club

President ----- J. Edgar Edwards
Secretary ----- Kenneth G. Simpson

The Debating Club was organized at the beginning of the school year, under the auspices of the S. C. A., by a group of students interested in probing topics of social and political importance.

Although the group did not participate in forensic competition with other college teams this year, it plans to so represent Bloomfield in the years ahead.

Its most notable achievement of this year was the presentation of a debate before the Kiwanis Club of Bloomfield, in February. It is hoped, through activities of a similar nature, to arouse among the members of the community an interest in the vital problems facing the world today, and, as well, to bring them to a consciousness of the important part our school plays in the life of the community.



Athletics



Basketball Team

Fred C. Grill, *Coach*

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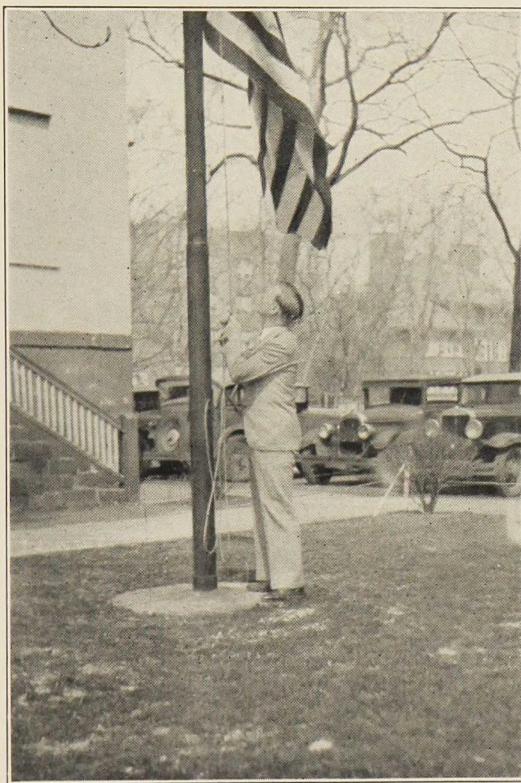
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Total -----	368	Total -----	431

Recapitulation: Total games played, 11. Won 4, Lost 7.

Bloomfield's basketball quintet faced the most difficult schedule of its history this year. With a successful season just past, and its laurels still fresh, the team went forth to battle determined to maintain its record. Unfortunately, Fate, in the form of sickness and injuries to its most valuable players, decreed otherwise. Of eleven games actually played, only four were victories for Bloomfield.

In spite of these set-backs, however, the team displayed a courage and sportsmanship heartening to all of its followers. The quintet proved that victory does not always rest with the team having the highest score, but that the team that can gracefully meet defeat, and return to the fray with a fighting heart, is still the victor.

With such a spirit will our team face the seasons ahead, seasons that will witness many brilliant successes for the Maroon and Gold.



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